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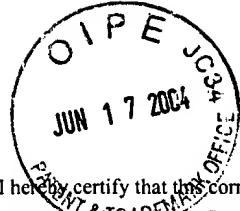
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

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Filed: December 11, 2000

For: CHIMERIC PROTEIN
CONTAINING AN
INTRAMOLECULAR CHAPERONE-
LIKE SEQUENCE AND ITS
APPLICATION TO INSULIN
PRODUCTION

Customer No.: 20350

Confirmation No.

Examiner: Nichols, Christopher J.

Technology Center/Art Unit: 1647

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF
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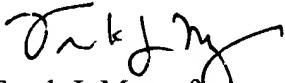
In response to the Notice of Non-compliant Amendment mailed June 8, 2004, applicant is providing a Revised Amendment, which has a complete listing of all claims.

CONCLUSION

In view of the foregoing, Applicants believe all claims now pending in this Application are in condition for allowance. The issuance of a formal Notice of Allowance at an early date is respectfully requested.

If the Examiner believes a telephone conference would expedite prosecution of this application, please telephone the undersigned at 925-472-5000.

Respectfully submitted,


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REVISED AMENDMENT

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Sir:

On May 24, 2004 Applicant filed an Amendment in response to the Office Action mailed December 15, 2003 with a resent cover sheet dated December 24, 2003 (restarting the period for response as of December 24, 2003), requesting the Examiner to enter the following amendments and remarks. Applicant also submitted a petition for an extension of time (2 months) with payment of the appropriate fee.

Amendments to the Claims, if any, are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.